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SEP 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR: Legislative Counsel

FROM : John H. Waller  
Inspector General

SUBJECT : [REDACTED]

REFERENCE : OLC 78-4010, 16 August 1978, forwarded to us  
by [REDACTED] on 22 August 1978

1. The Reference requests a summary of our proceedings regarding [REDACTED] contacted this office in January 1976. An investigation of the matter he brought to our attention at that time was undertaken, and he was informed of the results of that investigation in a letter from then Inspector General, Donald F. Chamberlain, on 10 February 1976.

2. In a memorandum dated 3 March 1976, [REDACTED] complained that he had not received the 10 February letter until 1 March and that it had been placed on his desk in an envelope which had been previously opened. He asked that the location of the envelope between 10 February and 1 March 1976 be traced and that the identity of the person who opened the envelope be determined. An investigation was conducted, and the results were inconclusive. It was surmised that the letter was temporarily lost in routine mail delivery. A series of interviews failed to reveal how or by whom the envelope containing the letter had been opened. [REDACTED] was so informed in a second letter from then Inspector General Chamberlain on 15 March 1976.

3. On 2 April 1976, [REDACTED] wrote to the Inspector General alleging inefficient and possibly improper practices by his employing office. His letter was unclear. An investigation by an Inspector from this office revealed that some of [REDACTED] points were valid but not very significant. Inspector General Chamberlain wrote [REDACTED] on 1 June 1976, explaining certain points and thanking him for his concern.

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4. I am satisfied that the grievances and allegations which [ ] brought to this office were thoroughly investigated and that [ ] adequately informed of the results of those investigations. I call to your attention the fact that in June 1978 we were informed by the Office of Equal Employment Opportunity that [ ] was pursuing two EEO cases against the Agency and that a third EEO case might be initiated by him. You may wish to contact OEEEO regarding these matters.

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